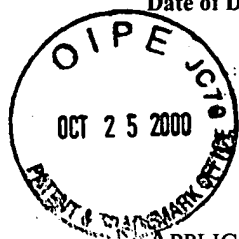


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**PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated April 25, 2000 in the above-identified application.

Enclosed is a check, which covers the appropriate fee of \$445.00 based on a small entity status. Please charge any underpayments or credit any overpayments to our Deposit Account No 50-0311, Reference No. 00960-510. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

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